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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed December 14, 1995 for a period of three months. With the extension, the response will be due on June 14, 1996.

An amendment (X) is filed herewith () has been filed

SMALL ENTITY

This application is on behalf of a small entity and a verified statement is: (X) already filed () attached.

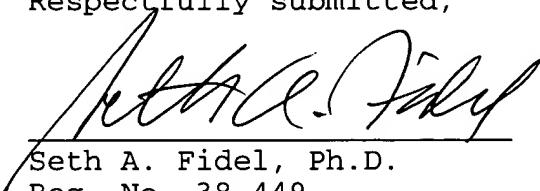
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Respectfully submitted,

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